

Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG) - Economic Development Division Department of Planning, Neighborhoods & Economic Development

## FY 2015 REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) FISCAL REQUIREMENTS

# PUBLIC SERVICES / COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS



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#### **CDBG FISCAL ROLES**

#### A. RFP PROCESS

## B. CONTRACT / RFR (Request For Reimbursement) PROCESS

#### C. MONITORING PROCESS

#### D. TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

## A. RFP PROCESS GENERAL OVERVIEW

- Audited Financial Statements and signed Tax documents were submitted at the RFQ phase of application process.
- 3 Month Cash Rule determines the Agency's maximum CDBG request amount for all projects.
- No advances will be provided.
- Must be financially capable to perform services on reimbursement basis.
- RFP fiscal budgets will be used in contract process.

#### **Cash Flow Determination**

- The financial documents, single audit and tax forms are used to determine the agency's **cash flow**.
- 3 months of cash or cash equivalents is required.
  - Cash Equivalents in accordance to GAAP (Generally Accepted Accounting Principles) is:
    - o Short Term (3 months or less).
    - o Highly Liquid Investments.
    - o Treasury bills, commercial paper & money market funds.

Note: Accounts Receivables/Lines of credit are <u>not</u> considered cash.



#### 3 Month Cash Rule

- 3 months of cash required based on the amount of funds requested:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> month to spend funds.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> month to prepare reports to submit for reimbursement with supporting documentation.
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> month: completion of review and processing reimbursement.



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### A. RFP PROCESS CASH BALANCE CALCULATION

#### THREE MONTH CASH RULE TEST

**Balance Sheet -**

**Audited Financial** 

**Statements** 

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**Agency Cash Balance** 

100,000

A. Multiply Agency Cash
Balance by 4 = Cash available
for project(s)

400,000

(This is the maximum amount that an Agency can apply for all projects combined.)



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#### A. RFP PROCESS

#### Single Project Request Example

THREE MONTH CASH RULE TE	EST
List the amount of FY	
2015 CDBG funding	
applied for Project #1 . □ PS/CED□CIP	200,000
List the amount of FY	
2015 CDBG funding	
applied for Project #2 . □ PS/CED□CIP	
List the amount of FY	
2015 CDBG funding	
applied for Project #3. □PS/CED□CIP	
B. Sum all the amounts for FY 2015	
CDBG funding request(s)	200,000
Compare Agency Cash Balance Availabl	le (Item
A) with Total FY 2015 CDBG Funding I	Request
(Item B):	_
Item A 400,000 Item B 200,000 Difference	200,000



#### Single Project Request Example

#### THREE MONTH CASH RULE TEST

#### C. Analyze Results

- 1- If difference is a positive amount or equals \$0, the Agency is eligible to apply for all amounts.
- 2- If difference is a negative amount, the Agency has the options below:
- The Agency can adjust any of the FY 2015 CDBG requested amount(s) to result in a positive or \$0 balance, as long as:
- A) EACH PROJECT MEETS THE MINIMUM REQUIRED AMOUNT FOR EACH OF THE PROJECT CATEGORIES, AND
- B) CASH AVAILABLE FOR PROJECTS IS NOW GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO THE TOTAL FY 2015 CDBG FUNDING REQUEST.



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#### A. RFP PROCESS

#### **Budget Review**

#### **FUNDING REQUEST INFORMATION**

Total amount of CDBG funding	200,000
requested in this RFP:	
Total amount of funding secured for this	1,100,000
proposed project:	
Total cost to complete this proposed	1,559,056
project:	

Secured Funding 1,100,000

Unsecured Funding 459,056



#### **Budget Review**

#### 1. Total Project Information

		AMOUNT	% OF
	AMOUNT	NOT	TOTAL
	SECURED	SECURED	BUDGET
FY 2015 CDBG			
Request from City		200,000	12.83%
HOME	1	-	0.00%
ESG	1	-	0.00%
HOPWA	1	-	0.00%
Other Federal Funds			
	450,000	_	28.86%
State/Local Funds	650,000	-	41.69%
Private Funds	1	259,056	16.62%
Agency Funds	1	-	0.00%
TOTAL PROJECT			
FUNDING	1,100,000	459 <i>,</i> 056	100%
% of TOTAL PROJECT			
FUNDING	70.56%	29.44%	

Total cost to complete this proposed project: 1,559,056

#### **Budget Review**

#### 2. Proposed FY 2015 CDBG Project Budget Information

a. List the FY 2015 CDBG Personnel Budget for the proposed Public Service project.

	CDBG AMOUNT	
	(SALARY/WAGES +	% OF
Position Title	FRINGE)	TOTAL
Position A	25,000	12.50%
Position B	38,000	19.00%
TOTAL		
PERSONNEL	63,000	

#### **Budget Review**

#### 2. Proposed FY 2015 CDBG Project Budget Information

b. List the FY 2015 CDBG Non-Personnel Budget for the proposed Public Service project.

LINE ITEM/TYPE	CDBG	% OF
	AMOUNT	TOTAL
Supplies/Postage		
/Publications/Printing:	5,000	2.50%
Rent/Lease (Project Operations):	11,000	5.50%
Utilities/Telephone:	8,000	4.00%
Maintenance/Repair:	3,000	1.50%
Transportation (Project Staff):	7,000	3.50%
Transportation (Clients):	15,000	7.50%
Consultant Services/Professional		
Services:	30,000	15.00%
Other Expenses: Food for Clients	48,000	24.00%
TOTAL NON-PERSONNEL	127,000	63.50%
Indirect Cost/Administrative Overhead:		
(Capped at 15% of CDBG budget)	10,000	5.00%
TOTAL CDBG PROJECT BUDGET	200,000	100.00%



#### **Fiscally Complete Submittal**

- The total of all CDBG project budget request amounts can not exceed the maximum Agency cash available amount as determined by 3 month rule calculation.
- Total Project Budget Amount matches on Page 1 and 9 of the RFP.
- Total CDBG Project Budget Amount matches in Page 1 and 10 of the RFP.
- Indirect Costs/Administrative
   Overhead budget line item meets the 15% cap.



#### **Contract**

RFP budget sections will be used in the contract budget process.

#### **RFR: Request For Reimbursement**

Reimbursement claims will be reviewed in accordance to the executed contract budget and justifications.

NOTE: if chosen for funding, mandatory workshops will be held for Contract and RFR process.

#### C. MONITORING PROCESS

- Fiscal Monitoring IS REQUIRED by entitlement grantees.
  - Once Every two years.
  - Playing by the Rules Handbook for CDBG Subrecipients is the basis for review. <a href="http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/documents/huddoc?id=DOC\_17104.pdf">http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/documents/huddoc?id=DOC\_17104.pdf</a>
    - Concentrate on <u>Chapter 2 Financial</u> <u>Management.</u>
- The visit will also include, review of the following:
  - Requests For Reimbursement (RFR).
  - Cost allocation plan.
  - Spending pattern, timeliness of submission, and other contractual requirements.

#### D. TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

- Please direct any RFP questions, after this workshop, to the CDBG Program e-mail address listed below by Noon 1/24/14.
- The CDBG Program office will provide a 30 minute, one-on-one technical assistance (TA) to any agency during Monday through Friday from 01/13/14 through 01/24/13 on a first-come, first-serve basis.
- Note: TA will not be offered on 01/20/14 since City offices are closed in observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday and the last TA appointment will be 3pm 1/24/14.
- Send an e-mail request for TA to the address below to schedule an appointment.
- cdbg@sandiego.gov